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Via Electronic Submission

Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, SW
Washington, DC 20554

Re: **Ex Parte**
In the Matter of Compatibility Between Cable Systems and Consumer
Electronics Equipment,
PP Docket No. 00-67

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On July 7, 2003, representatives of Home Box Office, Inc. ("HBO") and AOL Time Warner Inc. ("AOL") met with staff from the Commission to discuss the above referenced proceeding. The following representatives were present at the meeting: Robert Zitter, Tom Woodbury and Barbara Jaffe of HBO, Steven Teplitz of AOL and the undersigned. The representatives met with the following FCC staff: Rick Chessen, Bill Johnson, Mary Beth Murphy, Mike Perko and Alison Greenwald of the Media Bureau and Amy Nathan of the Office of Strategic Planning and Public Analysis.

The representatives discussed HBO's position on issues in the plug and play proceeding before the FCC as set forth in HBO's reply comments filed on April 28, 2003. The attached handout was also provided at the meeting.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/

Benjamin J. Griffin

Counsel for Home Box Office Inc.

Attachment

cc (w/attachment):
Rick Chessen
William Johnson
Mary Beth Murphy
Alison Greenwald

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